

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT

Public Servants – MA&UD Department – Allegations of certain irregularities committed in misappropriation of Municipal funds in Machilipatnam Municipality – Disciplinary proceedings initiated against Sri L.Venu Gopal Rao, Bill Collector and other Bill Collectors of Machilipatnam Municipality – Enquiry conducted – Further action dropped – Orders – Issued.

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**MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (VIG.IV) DEPARTMENT**  
**G.O.Rt.No. 105** **Dated: 27-01-2011**  
**Read the following:-**

1. G.O.Rt.No.299, MA & U D(Vig.IV.1)Dept., dated 9.3.2006.
2. Written statement of defense of Sri L.Venu Gopal Rao, Bill Collector, Machilipatnam Municipality, dated 11.5.2006.
3. G.O.Rt.No.277, MA & UD (Vig.IV.1) Dept., dated 9.3.2007.
4. From Smt. Chandana Khan, IAS, COI & E.O., D.O.Lr.No. 144/COI-CK/A1/2008, dated 9.3.2009.
5. Govt. Memo No.23161/Vig.IV.1/2002-24, dated 20.11.2009.
6. From the CDMA, Lr.Roc.No.1707/2003/E2, dated 24.4.2010.

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**ORDER:-**

Whereas, in the reference 1<sup>st</sup> read above, disciplinary action has been initiated against Sri L.Venu Gopal Rao, Bill Collector on the allegation of certain irregularities committed in misappropriation of Municipal funds, while he was working in Machilipatnam Municipality along with others.

2. Whereas, in the reference 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, Sri L.Venu Gopal Rao, Bill Collector has submitted his written statement of defense to the charges framed against him, denying the charges and requested the Government to drop further action against him, in the matter

3. Whereas, the Government after examining the matter have appointed Smt K.Chandana Khan, IAS, Commissioner of Inquiries as Inquiry Authority to conduct the common enquiry against the charged officers in the reference 3<sup>rd</sup> read above.

4. Whereas, in the reference 4<sup>th</sup> read above, the Inquiry Authority after conducting a detailed enquiry into the charges has submitted her report.

5. Government, after careful examination of the matter and in consultation with the appropriate authority, have decided to exonerate Sri L.Venu Gopal Rao, Bill Collector, Machilipatnam Municipality from the charges against him in the matter as misappropriation did not take place during his period.

6. Accordingly, Government hereby exonerates Sri L.Venu Gopal Rao, Bill Collector from the charges and drop further action against him in the matter.

7. The Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, Hyderabad shall take necessary action.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

T.S.APPA RAO  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To  
Sri L.Venu Gopal Rao, Bill Collector  
**through** Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, Hyderabad  
Copy to:

The Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, Hyderabad.  
The Commissioner, Machilipatnam Municipality  
The Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad.  
The Secretary, A.P. Vigilance Commission, Hyderabad.  
SF/SCs.

//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER